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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

A young woman was brutally assaulted at her home in Montevideo, Minn., by a man supposed to be a negro. —— The Pope seems to be gradually sinking. —— Two men were killed, sixteen others were more or less injured and about a hundred severely shocked by the explosion of dynamite in a magazine near Pearisburg, Giles county, Va. —— The Russian government has issued another edict concerning the Jews. —— It is announced that the ports in Manchuria to be opened have not yet been selected. —— A son was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cleveland. ——A number of the Fall River cotton mills will be closed this week. —— A negro who assaulted a negro woman near Lake Butler, Fla., was captured and lynched by negroes. ——Fire in the Merrimack print works caused damage estimated at $200,000. —— A gale on the Potomac yesterday interrupted plans for Prof. Langley's airship. —— Fifty negroes in the employe of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company, in Madison county, N. C., have been driven out of that section by the mountaineers. —— Tobacco warehouse and other buildings at Danville, Va., destroyed by fire; total loss about $75,000. —— The Reliance beat the Constitution and the Columbia in the race yesterday. —— Four convicts escaped from the New York State prison at Dannemora yesterday. —— The Cuban Congress adjourned without ratifying the Platt amendment treaty. —— Louisville will make determined effort to secure one or both of the national political conventions. ——A storm of unusual severity visited Philadelphia last evening and caused considerable damage. —— New York markets: Money on call nominal; rosin quiet, strained common to good $2 00@2 02½; spirits turpentine steady at 51@51½c; cotton quiet at 12.50c.; flour steady; wheat—spot dull, No. 2 red 84½c.; corn—spot steady, No. 2, 57c.; oats—spot quiet, No. 2 41c.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., July 18.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 78 degrees; 8 P. M., 79 degrees; maximum, 85 degrees; minimum, 73 degrees; mean, 79 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of the month to date, 1.40 inch.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. Friday 7 feet.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—For North Carolina: Showers and not so warm Sunday; Monday showers, fresh southwest, shifting to west winds.

Port Almanac---July 19.

Sun Rises	4.57 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.14 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 15 M.
High Water at Southport.	2.56 P. M.
High Water Wilmington.	5.26 P. M.

Advices have reached Washington that Judge Taft will be Teddy's running mate next year.

Typewriters can be manufactured now at the rate of one a minute, but the trusts hold them at the old price.

Mr. Bryan is going to Europe for rest and recuperation. Maybe we will all have a rest while he is away.

Dave Hill must be on a still hunt. He does not "shoot off his mouth" half as much as the two ex-leaders—Bryan and Cleveland.

Another trust was formed in New York last Thursday—The American Stogie Company — with a capital stock of $12,000,000. The output of the new company, it is said, will reach the total of 700,000,000 stogies a year.

Secretary Hay announces that the Manchurian question has been satisfactorily settled, pledges to open at least two ports to the commerce of the world having been given by China and Russia. We are glad that this question has been amicably disposed of.

The Governor of Texas has issued an official proclamation offering a reward of $50,000 to any person who will devise or discover a practical method for eradicating the cotton boll weevil. The reward is to be paid out of the State treasury. Dr. Stiles, of "mosquito-destroyer" fame, should now try his hand on the weevil.

New Jersey has developed a new species of mosquito, said to be ten times more vicious than any heretofore known. The insect is smaller than the standard size, but has three wings instead of two. It is said that the new arrival does not sound notes of warning but stabs silently and swiftly. Has New Jersey been awarded the contract for supplying pests for the whole country?

LOCAL DOTS.

— Other local, fourth page.

— Knight's colored excursion for Newbern, leaves at 7 o'clock this morning.

— Concord Chapter No. 1, R. A. M., will hold its regular convocation to-morrow night.

— Covington & Cameron will run a big excursion over the A. C. L. from Maxton and other points to Wilmington on Thursday, July 23rd.

— Mary Whitfield, colored, charged with abducting a child of Katie McArthur, also colored, was released by Justice Fowler yesterday upon preliminary investigation of the case.

— Mr. and Mrs. A. King, of Delgado, have the sympathy of friends in the death of their infant child, which occurred Friday night. The remains were interred at East Arcadia yesterday morning.

— The Board of Equalization was called to order by Commissioner Robertson in the absence of Chairman McEachern yesterday morning and a recess was immediately taken until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

— Cameron F. MacRae, Esq., receiver of the Auburn Lumber Co., advertises the sale at public auction on the premises, near Turkey, Sampson county, Friday, Aug. 21st, all the property, franchises, etc., of the company. See advertisement in another column.

— Sergeant Geo. Smith last midnight conveyed to the hospital a sailor from aboard the steamer "Jana," whom he found down on Fourth street, near Nixon. He had several bruises about his body, but could give no intelligent account of how he received them.

SUBURBAN CAR EQUIPMENT.

Additional Motive Power and Air Brakes. Will Establish Machine Shops.

The Winter car of the suburban line appeared on the street yesterday, after having been out of commission a few days during which an expert from Milwaukee installed between the trucks an up-to-date system of air brakes and a pneumatic whistle to replace the gong in giving alarms. The freight car of the same line has been similarly fitted up. An additional motor has also been installed under the Winter car, giving it 200 horse power, or about double that of the ordinary cars, making it available for handling trailers.

In this connection it may be noted that the C. R., L. & P. Co. will in the future operate its own machine shops, which will be located at the station at Ninth and Orange streets. A building of sufficient dimensions is now being constructed there and will be equipped with the latest machinery, such as lathes, forges, etc.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MARGARET DONLAN.

Remains of a Good Woman Laid to Rest in Oakdale Cemetery.

Impressive funeral services were conducted at 10 A. M. yesterday in St. Thomas' Catholic church over the remains of the late Mrs. Margaret Whalen Donlan, the Rev. Father C. Dennen officiating, assisted by visiting priests. There were in attendance a large number of friends and many beautiful floral tributes attested the high esteem in which Mrs. Donlan was held.

The interment was in Oakdale cemetery, the following having acted as pall-bearers: Honorary, Dr. Thos. S. Burbank and Mr. T. E. Sprunt; active, Capt. John Barry, Messrs. Martin O'Brien, James Madden, John H. Sweeney, Thos. Torpy and M. Carroll.

Lost Off Coney Island.

Capt. A. L. DeRosset, of this city, last night received a telegram conveying the said intelligence that his brother-in-law, Mr. Edwin H. Low, had been lost in a storm aboard his yacht off Coney Island. The telegram was from Mrs. Low, dated at the Atlantic Yacht Club, and gave no particulars. Mr. Low resided in Wilmington during the war and has since visited here. His many friends hope that he may yet safely arrive.

Southport Railroad Promoters.

Messrs. C. N. Wire and A. J. Fahnestock, of Philadelphia, and Mr. F. S. Pussey, of Germantown, Pa., who are interested in the company chartered last week to build a railroad to Southport and the South Carolina line, came up yesterday and left last night for their homes; Mr. Pussey, of the party, is a civil engineer, and all have been engaged in making certain surveys for the company.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Economical—It is true.
Notice—Receiver's sale.
A. D. Brown—Attention!
Clyde Line—Sailing days.
H. L. Vollers—Cuban Blossom.
W. B. Cooper—Cotton supplies.
People's Savings Bank—Removal.
Mercer & Evans—We can fit you.
J. W. Murchison & Co.—Cutting.
F. E. Hashagen Co—King of cigars.
Wilmington Sewerage Co.—Rates.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Come to tobacco sale
S. & B. Solomon—Embroidery sale.
Masonic—Meeting Concord Chapter.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Monday—Baseball.
Wanted—Male help.
Wanted—A druggist.
Lost—Dress suit case.
Furnished Room—For rent.
To Rent—Part of dwelling.
Flower & Co.—Buy wheat now.

ELKS OFF TO-NIGHT.

North Carolina Contingent Will Leave To-day for the Baltimore Reunion.

ARRANGEMENTS COMPLETE.

Delegation from Wilmington Departs on This Evening's Train--Electrical Effects and Other Preparations in the Monumental City.

North Carolina Elks to the number of a hundred or more will move upon Baltimore for the annual reunion this week. The delegation from Wilmington will perhaps not be so large as was expected, but its enthusiasm will make up what is lost numerically. The local contingent will leave on the 7 o'clock A. C. L. train this evening in a special Pullman car and among those in the party will be Past Exalted Ruler William J. Bellamy, representative from Wilmington Lodge No. 532, and president of the State Association; Exalted Ruler Ike W. Solomon, Dr. Chas. T. Harper, C. W. Polvogt, H. J. Gerken, Thos. H. Wright, Julius P. Taylor, Isadore Bear, George Honnet, and Dr. L. P. Aaron, of Mount Olive.

Besides the regular Pullman, an extra sleeping car will be put on the train. Another Pullman will be added at Goldsboro, with the contingent from that city, Kinston, Newbern and another places along the line. At Rocky Mount vestibule train No. 32 will pick up the three sleepers, making a long train. Nearly every lower berth in the two Pullmans from Wilmington has been reserved. It is expected that at least 50 or 60 tickets will be sold from here. All of these will not be Elks, as many business men from Wilmington and this section will advantage themselves of the cheap rate.

The first stop will be in Washington where all the North Carolina delegation and many others from the South will rendezvous for the final move on the Monumental City. It will be a great meeting and Baltimore is preparing to care for its guests royally. An outline of the programme was printed in these columns last Sunday.

Yesterday's Baltimore *Sun* says that the final meeting of the executive committee in general charge was held Friday night. After the meeting Chairman Knapp said that the reports showed that without doubt this was going to be the greatest convention ever held under the auspices of the order and that the committee desired to express its thanks to the citizens of Baltimore generally for their co-operation in the effort to make the reunion a success. That it will be such, he said, is now unquestioned. Continuing the *Sun* says:

"At dark to-night the electric current will be turned into thousands of lamps distributed throughout the downtown streets and on many of the business thouses and public buildings, and the grand illumination in honor of the Elk's reunion will be under way.

"For more than a month preparations for the display have been going on. The illumination that excited so much admiration comment during the Saengerfest have all been retained, and in addition a number of beautiful and spectacular features have been added to the street display and many of the business men who did not decorate for Saengerfest have beautified their places with yards of bunting and hundreds of electric lights, while those who did decorate have enlarged and altered the designs, making them more beautiful and appropriate for the occasion.

"On every hand the purple and white of the Elks can be seen, and at many places heads and even bodies of the animal, full grown, stand out in bold relief from some ornamental design. Judging from the illuminations and decorations, Baltimore will belong to the Elks next week, and its citizens will vie with each other in doing them honor."

NOTORIOUS SNEAK THIEF.

Clarence Crawford in Limbo for Larceny Committed Three Years Ago.

Clarence Crawford, colored, who has several aliases, was bound over to Superior Court by Justice Fowler yesterday in default of $100 bond to answer the charge of the larceny of a watch from Mr. Jno. H. Sweeney at the Clarendon Water Works pumping station in 1900. The watch was sold to a negro and subsequently traded to a Mr. Wallace at the Hilton Lumber mill, who produced the property in court and assisted Mr. Sweeney in making out the case against Crawford, who has an unenviable reputation in the community as a sneak thief. He cunningly said he did not steal the watch but traded for it with Dan Shines the negro who was cut to death last February by the Thomas boys, now serving a term in the penitentiary for the crime.

Crawford may also be charged later with breaking into the office of the Hilton Lumber Co., and stealing a watch from Mr. Jere Hand.

Real Estate Transfers.

By deeds filed for record yesterday, John C. Walton and wife transferred to B. F. King, for $600, house and lot on north side of Dawson street, at corner of Millis' alley; and John L. Eagles transferred to Ella R. Eagles, both of Charlotte, for $1 and other valuable considerations, house and lot on east side of MacRae, 66 feet north of Green street, 66x165 feet in size.

Free concert at Wrightsville Beach Casino Sunday afternoon. †

Finest surf bathing on the Atlantic Coast only 45 minutes from Wilmington—take car for Wrightsville Beach.

ENCAMPMENT THIS WEEK.

Very Serious Condition Confronts Wilmington Light Infantry—Appeal to Employers--Leaves Wednesday.

A very serious condition confronts the Wilmington Light Infantry, and unless employers of its members respond quickly and favorably to an appeal made officially by Capt. A. P. Adrian in another column, the city is likely to awake some fine morning without any military organization, save the Naval Reserves. Under the new military regulations each company is required to carry into encampment 75 per cent. of its enlistment of men under penalty of disbandment.

As previously noted, the encampment this year begins at Morehead City, Wednesday of this week and continues through Tuesday of next week. The Light Infantry has received orders to move next Wednesday afternoon at 2:40 o'clock, via Newbern, with the Maxton company, which arrives at 12:30 over the Seaboard Air Line, and up to this time, although diligent effort has been exercised, Capt. Adrian has been unsuccessful in securing the requisite number of men to entitle the W. L. I. to enter the encampment. The chief obstacle is the unwillingness of employers to release their employes for the six days' absence required. Capt. Adrian appeals to employers of members of the company, for the public welfare to contribute six days' leave of absence. The responses should be rapid and cheerful.

The boys will return from camp on a special train leaving Morehead City at 7:30 A. M. Tuesday, July 28th, and arriving here via Newbern. The Maxton company while passing through the city will be entertained at the armory of the W. L. I.

BREAK CAMP TO-MORROW.

Boys' Brigade Has Had Fine Outing at Southport—Some Reflections.

CAMP GEORGE, SOUTHPORT, N. C., July 18.—Our sixth annual encampment is drawing to a close, bringing with it a realization of the great privileges we enjoy and a sense of our great indebtedness to the employers of the members of our company for giving us this vacation. We hope and feel assured that the standard of our work in town will be raised by this outing, for upon this rests the success of the encampment.

As individual members we are deeply grateful to Colonel Walker Taylor, for we realize the sacrifices he has made and is making for our pleasure and benefit. May we ever merit his kindness.

As for the Southport people we owe them as much as ever, but we shudder to think of what would happen if Wilbur Dosher wasn't closely related to every inhabitant of this delightful burg. Oh the girls! Well they have always stood by us.

And not to mention our own beautiful visitors from Wilmington would be a gross injustice. We can truthfully say that their presence has been no small factor in making our sixth encampment the most enjoyable one we have yet spent.

Every one is satisfied; the kickers kick no more; the fishermen are daily supplied with new material for fish stories, and "Johnny Mack" alone yearns for "Dry Pond."

To-morrow (Sunday) will be a quiet day. Church, Sunday school and dreams of the past will occupy most of the time, and none of these are very exciting pastimes.

Early Monday morning we will break camp, and Tuesday will find us all at our places ready to take up "the white man's burden."

In conclusion, the scribe will devote a few lines to himself. Considering his state at birth (tired), and the relapse taken, he has served you to the best of his ability, but asks no reward. (Broad hint for an editor's comment, isn't it?) Then, until 1904, *auf wiederschen*.

C. C. L.

LOCAL MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

Ships That Came and Went Yesterday. Passengers Bound for New York.

Schooner "Jno I. Snow" cleared yesterday with cargo of lumber consigned to Fajardo, Porto Rico, by the Kidder Lumber Co.

British schooner "Clarence A. Schaffner," 158 tons, Capt. Chute, arrived at anchor at Southport at 2:30 P. M. yesterday.

Schooner "Chas. H. Valentine" arrived yesterday from Perth Amboy with cargo of coal for J. A. Springer & Co.

Schooner "Bradford C. French," hence for Boston with cargo of cross ties, and the British steamer "Hardanger," for Glasgow with cargo of gum logs, passed out at Southport yesterday at 8 A. M. and 12:30 P. M. respectively.

Among the passengers on the Clyde Liner "Navahoe" for New York this were: Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Trusk and two children, Mrs. J. G. Barentine, Miss Julia H. Hill, Rev. Mr. O'Hanlon, Rev. Dr. A. G. Voigt, Col. Gates, Miss Gates, Miss Richmond and several persons from Georgetown.

The arrival of the steamer "City of Fayetteville" with a large party of excursionists, was noted in these columns yesterday. The number of passengers was 115, most of whom spent the day at Wrightsville, returning on the boat at 8 o'clock last night.

Evening Seashore Concert.

The Seashore Hotel Orchestra will give its usual splendid concert this evening at 8:30 o'clock instead of 4:30 in the afternoon as previously. An especially pleasing programme has been arranged for the concert, copies of which will be distributed at the hotel to-night. The concert will afford a splendid opportunity to get away from the city for a very pleasant evening.

OLD-TIME FAVORITES

A. C. L. and O. A. N. Baseball Teams Battled for Honors at Hilton Yesterday.

THE RAILROADERS WON.

Goodly Number of Spectators and a Vast Amount of Interest Manifested—Score Four to Two—Features of the Game—Notes.

Nearly 200 people witnessed the game of baseball at Hilton Park yesterday afternoon between those old-time rivals, the O. A. N. and A. C. L. teams. The score was four to two in favor of the railroaders, and the spectators were delighted with the manner of ball that was played. The slab artists were in their "ancient" form and very effective, few hits having been recorded by either side. Gwaltney's base throwing was of an especially high order, and it was decidedly an inopportune time to purloin a bag while he was at the receiving end of the battery.

Smith pitched a good game but retired from the box in favor of Peschau toward the latter part of the contest. Taylor, for the opposing nine, kept his hits well scattered and reduced to a minimum. He was in the game from beginning to end.

Sinclair, Green, Wever and Motte scored the runs for the A. C. L., while James and Peschau crossed the pan for the runs of the O. A. N. Maj. Wm. F. Robertson was the umpire and it is a credit to his fairness and impartiality that no "kicks" were registered and the players were eminently satisfied. Mr. Edwin A. Metts was the "official scorer." The teams lined up as follows:

O. A. N.		A. C. L.
Jackson	c.	Gwaltney
Smith	p.	Taylor, C. E.
Sweeney	1 b.	Sinclair
Crow	2 b.	Taylor, W. R.
James,	3 b.	Green
Davis,	s. s.	Nash
Peschau	l. f.	Motte
Moore	c. f.	Potts
Brinkley	r. f.	Wever

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9—R

O. A. N. ..... 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0—2
A. C. L. ..... 0 1 0 2 0 0 1 0 0—4

Batteries: Smith, Peschau and Jackson; Taylor and Gwaltney.

THE PEOPLE'S SAVINGS BANK.

Moved Last Night to Handsome New Banking House in The Orton Building.

The People Savings Bank last night moved into its elegant new quarters at No. 115 North Front street, next south of the Orton, and that popular institution now occupies perhaps the most convenient, commodious and prettiest apartments of any savings bank in the State. Depositors and others who have business with the bank will find Cashier Dick and his clerical assistants at the new place tomorrow morning at the usual hour for opening—9 o'clock.

The interior of the building has been completely transformed. The walls have been nicely papered; hard-wood floors have been laid, and beautiful mahogany fixtures, trimmed with brass and on a base of Tennessee marble, have been installed.

To the right entering the bank a neat apartment has been fitted up for ladies. Costly rugs have been placed on the floors, chairs have been provided and a teller's window opens directly into the room, making it especially desirable for those who care to attend to their banking interests with some measure of privacy.

In the entire length of the counter there are three tellers' windows and everything else looking to the convenience of the patron. New and modern burglar proof vaults have just been added to the bank's splendid equipment and all in all the "People's" has taken a progressive step that's certain to be appreciated by the public. Brass electric fixtures are provided over each desk, so that comfort and conveniences will better equip the employes to wait upon the public with "neatness and dispatch." The interior decorative work was done by Mr. J. E. Hatch and is really artistic.

The old bank quarters will be occupied by Mr. J. E. O'Donnell, the popular National Cash Register general agent, who will hereafter have headquarters in Wilmington.

ROWDY SOUTH CAROLINA COONS.

Two of Them Landed in the Station House for a General Disturbance.

A couple of bold, bad South Carolina negroes were lodged in the station house by Policemen C. E. Wood and E. L. Smith yesterday morning. John H. Davis and Simon Lions, who claim to be brothers, were beating a woman severely at the house of Larry Lowe, the well known colored man, at Third and Brunswick streets. Lowe is an old man and asked Davis to desist from his cruelty. The burly negro replied with a blow in the old man's face, and the disturbance by that time had gained such proportions that Policeman Wood was called in. Davis' brother took his part and interfered with the officer, whereupon both were arrested with some effort. Policeman Smith responded with the patrol wagon, but the negroes were so vicious they had to be carted to the station house one at a time.

Music Sunday afternoon at Casino, Wrightsville Beach. Free to everyone. †

With the frequent schedule on the suburban trolley line people are beginning to realize that Wrightsville Beach is a part of Wilmington. ‡

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— A. B. Carroll, of Clinton, is here.

— Mr. L. H. Smith, of Latta, S. C., arrived last night.

— Mr. Ravenel Gignilliat, of Savannah, is at The Orton.

— Dr. J. H. Honnet returned to New York yesterday morning.

— Prof. M. C. S. Noble, of Chapel Hill, is visiting relatives in the city.

— Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hankins left yesterday to visit friends in Wilson.

— H. C. Parsons, of Wadesboro, arrived yesterday en route to Wrightsville.

— Miss Lizzie C. Neal, of Newbern, was registered at The Orton yesterday.

— James P. Taylor, of Fayetteville, was registered at The Orton yesterday.

— Spencer P. Bass, of the University of Virginia, is registered at The Orton.

— Rev. R. B. John went up to Burgaw yesterday to hold quarterly conference.

— Mrs. J. W. Blomme is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cameron, of Rockingham, N. C.

— Dr. J. W. Douglass, of Winnsboro, S. C., was registered at The Orton yesterday.

— E. W. Crow and W. S. Lee, of Monroe, N. C., were here yesterday, bound for the beach.

— Miss Nellie W. Plummer left yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. B. W. Townsend, of Maxton.

— Mr. B. F. Tatum, of Ammon, Bladen county, was a welcome caller at the STAR office yesterday.

— Mr. J. W. Lamb, of Goldsboro, is visiting in the city, and is being cordially greeted by his hosts of friends.

— Mrs. Jas. A. Lockart and child, of Wadesboro, passed through the city yesterday en route to the beach.

— Mrs. M. Oscar Brice, formerly of this city, but now of Hamlet, is visiting her sister, Miss Lucy McIntosh, on Front street.

— Mrs. Jacob Battle, Jr. and her mother, Mrs. Gupton, of Rocky Mount, arrived yesterday and are guests of Mrs J. H. Thomas.

— Raleigh *News and Observer*: "Mr. Albert Bauman, of the Commercial and Farmers' Bank, left yesterday for Wrightsville, where he will spend his two weeks vacation."

— Mr. Geo. B. Thees, formerly of this city, now travelling for the Armour Packing Co., with headquarters in Fayetteville, came down last night for a brief visit to old friends.

— Miss Louise Yancy and Miss Gay Bernard Wilbon, of Richmond, arrived yesterday and are guests at the Seashore Hotel. Miss Wilbon is a sister of Mr. Dave Wilbon, the traveling man who makes this city headquarters.

— Rev. Will B. Oliver and Miss Lucy B. Oliver, of Florence, S. C., arrived yesterday and are guests of Mrs. S. H. Burtt. Rev. Mr. Oliver will preach to his old congregation at the First Baptist church at both services to-day.

— Dr. J. C. Williamson and wife, formerly of Whiteville, N. C., but now of Pensacola, Fla., are in the city, guests of Dr. and Mrs. N. M. Culbreth, North Second street. Dr. Williams is engaged extensively in turpentining in Florida.

— Charlotte *Observer*: "Mesdames A. M. Spong and Wright and Messrs. Augustus Spong and Yates Faison will leave for Wrightsville Beach this morning. Misses Alice and Janie Haughton left yesterday for Wrightsville Beach."

— Mr. F. L. Woodruff, formerly manager of the Wilmington exchange of the Southern Bell Telephone Co., whose recent promotion to assistant traffic manager of the company, with headquarters at Atlanta, was noted in these columns, arrived yesterday on official business and incidentally to shake hands with hundreds of friends in these parts.

LIQUOR LICENSE REGULATIONS.

Committee Ready With Its Report to the Board of Aldermen—No Changes.

The Ordinance Committee of the Board of Aldermen, composed of Messrs. Walter P. Gafford, chairman; W. H. Yopp and S. Behrends, met Friday afternoon with City Attorney William J. Bellamy and formulated rules for the regulation of the liquor traffic in Wilmington, pursuant to instructions of the Board at its last meeting.

A set of rules was adopted and will be reported to the regular August meeting of the council, unless sooner called for. The ordinance embodying the rules has been approved as to legal form by City Attorney Bellamy and are practically the same, except as to wording, as those adopted at the meeting at which licenses were granted and which were subsequently declared inoperative. No hours are prescribed as to opening or closing of saloons.

The ocean air so full of vim makes Jim Dumps a Sunny Jim at Wrightsville Beach.

Dancing at Wrightsville Beach—last car leaves the Beach at 12:00 P. M. †

Nature's three great blessings salt, salt air, salt water—take trolley car for Wrightsville Beach. †

Attention!

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A special line White Dress Goods sold constantly as follows:

India Linens,
Persian Lawns,
French Lawns,
French Organdies,
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Paris Muslins,
Mercerized Mulls,
Victoria Lawns,
Long Cloth,
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Dotted Stripes,
Dimity Stripes,
Dimity Checks,
Lace Pique Stripes,
Plain Wells,
Fancy Marseilles,
Dotted Swisses,
Figured Swisses,
Grenadines, Etc.

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Don't start on your vacation without

WHITE KNIGHTS,

This grade of Cigars are not sold save where careful smokers abound.

WHITE KNIGHTS

Won't cure consumption but is a comfort you owe yourself, either at home or abroad.

THE F. E. HASHAGEN CO., Distributors.

jy 19tf

Embroidery Sale.

Our Buyer while North last week had the good fortune of securing several hundred pieces of Fine Embroideries

AT A GREAT PRICE CONCESSION.

This beautiful line of Embroidery will be placed on sale MONDAY MORNING. This will be your golden opportunity. Take advantage of it.

S. & B. Solomon.

jy 19 tf

REMOVAL

THE PEOPLE'S SAVINGS BANK has removed to more commodious quarters, at No. 115 North Front street, building formerly occupied by the Murchison National Bank, next south of The Orton House. This change is made necessary by the reason of its increasing business. With these improved surroundings the Bank is better prepared than ever to serve its customers. We invite you to call and inspect our new home.

H. C. McQUHEN, President. JNO. S. ARMSTRONG, Vice President.
jy19 tf F. W. DICK, Cashier.

MRS. SARAH HOLMES DEAD.

Wife of Well Known Citizen of Council's Station Died Here Yesterday.

Mrs. Sarah Holmes, wife of Mr. A. G. Holmes, a prominent citizen of Council's Station, N. C., died at 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning at the residence of Mr. Harrison King, 414 Walnut street. Mrs. Holmes had been in failing health for some time and she came to the beach with the hope that the change would do her good. She did not improve, however, and being removed to the city she rapidly declined until death claimed her.

Mrs. Holmes was 42 years of age and leaves a husband and eight children to mourn their loss. The remains were taken yesterday afternoon on the S. A. L. train to Council's, where the funeral was conducted by the Rev. S. J. Porter.

The Casino This Week.

The best vaudeville offering yet made by the Wrightsville Beach Casino will be the one next week. It will consist of six of the most prominent vaudevillians and they will come direct from New York city. The company will be composed of the well known Estelle Sisters, who will present new songs and dances. The Wests, who are considered the very peers of all comedy sketch opponents, and LeVine and Leonard, the renowned comedy jugglers. The performance will commence at the usual hour, 9 o'clock, and special matinee will be given Saturday afternoon.

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RECEIVER'S SALE.

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, In the Superior Court.
Charles M. Whitlock, vs. Auburn Lumber Company. } Notice of Sale.

By virtue of an order issued by the Honorable W. R. Allen, Judge Superior Court, appointing the undersigned receiver of the Auburn Lumber Company and directing the said receiver to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, the plant of the said Auburn Lumber Company, that is the saw mill, tramway, locomotive, timber, teams, rights of way, franchises and all other property, I will, on Friday, the 21st day of August, 1903, at the saw mill near Turkey, in Sampson County, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the said saw mill, tramway, locomotive, timber, teams, rights of way, franchise and all other property of the said Auburn Lumber Company.

CAMERON F. MACRAE, Receiver.
jy 19 1m.

Concord Chapter No. 1, R. A. M.

COMPANIONS—The regular convocation will be held Monday evening, 8 o'clock.

W. A. MARTIN, Secretary.
jy 19 1t

The Morning Star

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, JULY 19.

THE REVIVAL OF SECTIONALISM

New Orleans *Picayune*: Not many years ago it was believed that the sectional bitterness between the Northern and Southern States of the Union had pretty well died out, and it was generally agreed that the finishing touch had been put to it when the young men of the Northern and Southern States volunteered to fight side by side in the war against Spain. If a million of men had been called for there would have been no difficulty in finding volunteers, and some hundreds of thousands of them would have been young men from the South, sons of Confederate soldiers.

When the Spanish war was over, President McKinley, who was himself a veteran of the Civil War on the Northern side and had set the pace for the banishing of sectionalism and the establishiug of good feeling and harmony between the North and the South, seemed never to tire in that good work, and he came to be more loved and admired by the Southern people, whom he visited, than was any man in the entire Republican party, and perhaps more than was any man in all the Northern States. When that beloved President was struck down in the city of Buffalo, in the northern State of New York, by the hand of an assassin, there was scarcely any limit to the grief and indignation in the Southern States at the atrocity of the crime; but little did the people of these States dream that the bullet of a professed anarchist was going to open again the bloody chasm then closed, that had for more than the third of a century yawned wide and deep between Northern and Southern States of the Union.

But scarcely had the grave closed over all that was mortal of President McKinley, when the bloody chasm of sectionalism again began to open, and to poison with its baneful emanations the flowers of peace and good will that had sprung up and bloomed upon its borders. With the accession to place and power of President McKinley's chance successor came the change, and its development has not been slow or halting. It seems that it will be one of the main issues in the next national campaign, and therefore the gap will be widened instead of narrowed.

One of the recent expressions of this growing sectionalism was the outcry that arose in some quarters when it was proposed by the people of Virginia to put in the hall of Statues in the Capitol at Washington a marble effigy of General R. E. Lee. According to information furnished to the Chicago *Tribune*, a stalwart Republican journal, the idea of the statue of Lee has given offense to the Grand Army of the Republic, and it is now planned to propose at the next encampment of that body in San Francisco next month a resolution requesting Congress to enact that the statue of no man who ever opposed the Union shall be permitted a place in Statuary Hall.

The *Tribune* strongly condemns any such action by the Northern veterans. It says on the subject:

> The Grand Army should lend no sanction to such a scheme. If it does it will be lending its weight to the cause against which it fought for the four bloody years—the cause of disunion. Such an action on the part of the Grand Army would do much to relight the fires of sectionalism—fires which until with the last year or two seemed about to go out forever.
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> If Congress forbade Virginia to place Lee's statue in the Capitol, is it not sure that Virginia would then decide to leave the pedestal vacant? And would not the other Southern States also nominate famous Confederates, and on being refused leave their pedestals vacant? And would not those empty places do more than their statues could ever do to preserve the fame of the heroes of the Lost Cause? Would not a Statuary Hall but half filled with statues be a perpetual token that the North and South will not unite in heart so long as the North treats the South like an enemy conquered instead of a friend reconciled.
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> The waver of the bloody shirt is not what he wishes to be considered—an ultra patriot. On the contrary, he is an enemy to his country. The allegiance of Americans is to the United States—not to the North and not to the South. In 1861 we could not have union unless by fighting. To-day we cannot have it, except superficially, unless by peace.
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> Let Virginia choose the dead she wishes to commemorate. If she honors Lee above all but Washington, let her place his statute in the Capitol. He was a great and good man, although he stood by his State instead of the Union. The North as well as the South may take pride in this American for the purity of his life and his military genius, although the South as well as the North does now rejoice that his cause was lost.
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> The greatest men of the North, Grant and Lincoln, were magnanimous to the South. They tried to soothe and heal the wounds from which she suffered. Lesser men were not so magnanimous, but essayed to humiliate still further the ruined land. Which of those examples is the nobler and the wiser for this generation?
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> If the North condemns the dead heroes of the South, the South will make them martyrs, and their pale shades will do more than the blood of all their legions ever did to further and continue the Lost Cause of disunion. The North granted a complete amnesty to Lee living. Shall it withdraw the amnesty from Lee dead?

The Chicago *Tribune* is a power in molding Northern opinion, and in this case it speaks out bravely and fairly for what is right. So long as sectionalism shall prevail, there will be no real union of States. The only bands that hold it together will be those of force, and force is the weakest of all ties to keep a nation together. Those persons who are keeping alive sectional prejudices for personal advancement and partisan purposes are no lovers of their country, and they are plotting against its best interests. The *Tribune* gives wise and patriotic counsel, and it is good for the Southern people to know that there are such fair-minded and honorable and just sentiments and expressions concerning them among the leaders of opinion north of the Ohio River.

RUSSIA REJECTS APPEAL.

The State Department at Washington has received a reply from Russia stating that it neither would receive nor consider the Jewish petition on the subject of the Kischeneff massacres.

This information came in the form of a cablegram from Mr. Riddle, the American charge at St. Petersburg, to whom was committed the delicate task of inquiring of the Russian Government as to its attitude with respect to the presentation of the petition. It is believed that this will end the matter and that no further steps will be taken by this Government to bring the views of the petitioners to the attention of Russia, although as yet no consideration has been given by the President to the course to be pursued in the light of Russia's response to the American inquiry.

The reply that Russia would make to all suggestions on the subject of the Kischeneff massacre was forecasted some weeks ago in an authorized statement when the public was definitely informed that Russia regarded the affair an internal matter as to which she in the exercise of her own sovereignty must refuse to receive suggestions from any other Government or outside source.

Arkansas is the scene of a strenuous battle for the Democratic nomination for Governor, which in that State is equivalent to election. The four leading candidates are Governor Jefferson Davis, who seeks reelection, State Senator Manning, Judge Wood and Judge A. F. Vandewater. From present indications the bitterness engendered by the struggle between Governor Davis and a faction of the Legislature will characterize the entire campaign. It will be remembered that an attempt was made to impeach the Governor, who has already been in office six years, two as Attorney General and four as Governor. His enemies are bitter and persistent, and Judge Vandewater, in his public speeches, is attacking Governor Davis vigorously, delaring that the people want the entire Davis administration wiped out. From the way the contest has opened, it appears that the people of Arkansas are to have a lively time for the next couple of months.

CURRENT COMMENT

—— A Chicago professor protests against the bad English used by public men, more especially politicians, and calls particular attention to the indiscriminate use of "shall" and "will." But politicians will probably never get through mixing their "shalls" and "wills." The uncertainty of the business makes that inevitable.—*Kansas City Star.*

—— Much as one may feel the need in the South for greater effort for education, and we think the need is fully appreciated at the South itself, it is likely to fill one with a sort of disgust that Southern men go into the North preaching a crusade against the illiteracy of their own people and begging for help against the situation. * * * Let the Southern people themselves, through their Legislatures, do what is needed. Let them tax themselves as never before for educational purposes, but stop begging outsiders.—*Knoxville Sentinel.*

—— "The Hon. B. R. Tillman," says the Birmingham *News*, "has been as free from oratorical pyrotechnics of late as if he had gone into winter quarters. When he comes forth with his explosive department recharged, the public may look for something to drop." The thing that we cannot understand is why the newspapers which deplore Tillman's style of discussing public questions should all the time be baiting in this way. If he is disposed to be quiet and inoffensive and harmless, why in Heaven's name not let him be quiet?—*Charleston News and Courier, Dem.*

Brutally Tortured.

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equalled. Joe Golobick, of Colusa, Cal., writes: "For fifteen years I endured insufferable pain from Rheumatism and nothing relieved me, though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters, and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." Just as good for Liver and Kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50 cents. Satisfaction guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. †

Diagram has been opened for Pullman car leaving Wilmington July 19th. Occasion — Annual Meeting Grand Lodge B. P. O. Elks, Baltimore, Md. Reservations should be made promptly. For full information call on W. G. PULLIAM, Division Passenger Agent. †

DR. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY FOR THE BLOOD, LIVER, LUNGS.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— The Newbern *Journal* says the river is the lowest it has been for years. The steamer Neuse was fast aground.

— The returns to date indicate that the average valuation of property throughout the State has been advanced at least 25 per cent.

— The State auditor says that 26 sheriffs have yet failed to settle last year's taxes in full. The officials will make things lively for these slow sheriffs.

— L. L. Lumsford, a drummer of Knoxville, Tenn., accidentally shot himself through the head Wednesday morning at Knapp's Mills, N. C. His condition is serious.

— It is said that a new town is to be started at Thaggard's Mill, three and one half miles north of Lakeview, and to connect with Lakeview and the Seaboard Air Line by electric road.

— Thomas K. Bruner says it is now an assured fact that North Carolina will have a grand display of apples at the St. Louis exposition, $1,000 having been raised for this special purpose.

— The report of the State Board of Health on smallpox for June shows its presence in twenty counties, with eighteen cases in Buncome, fourteen in Durham, forty-five in Guilford, two in Mecklenburg, one in New Hanover and twenty-six in Wake.

— Enfield *Ledger*: We heard last week of a gentleman living in Enfield who dug up one hill of Irish potatoes and got 120 potatoes. If this can be beaten in Halifax or any other county we would like to know it. This sounds fishy but nevertheless it is said to be true on good authority.

— Catawba County *News*: Col. D. A. Lowe, of Lowesville, is in town. The Colonel came up to hear the Davidson trial and will be hear for several days. He is the only man we have ever heard of who has grown three sets of teeth. Several years ago while at Lowesville the Colonel showed us two bright new ones peeping through the gums.

— Wadesboro *Messenger-Intelligencer*: Mr. T. C. Shannon, of Monroe, who has a large stock pasture in White Store township, this county, has lost eleven head of fine beef cattle within the past week. Dr. Watt Ashcraft, of Monroe, we learn, pronounces this disease of which the cattle have died Texas fever. The eleven head were worth $1,500.

— Hickory *Mercury*: There seems to be some fatality among horses in this section. While the trouble seems to be first one thing and then another, yet the fatality is charged to the very warm weather. About a dozen in this section have died and some of them very suddenly. The cases, as well as the real causes, seem to baffle the skill of the veterinary surgeons.

— Asheville *Citizen*: It is rather a remarkable fact that three of the leading ministers in Atlanta—Dr. Chas. W. Byrd, of the First Methodist; Dr. John E. White, of the Second Baptist, and Dr. Len G. Broughton, of the Tabernacle—are all North Carolinians, born within twenty miles of each other. Rah for the "Old North State!"

— Charlotte *Observer*: Mr. E. M. Armfield, of High Point, and Mr. M. L. Jones, of Montgomery county, who are the principal owners of the Iola gold mines in Montgomery county, arrived in the city yesterday morning, bringing with them seventy-two pounds of crude gold, worth $13,260. This amount represented the output of the mines for the past seven weeks.

— Lincoln *Journal*: Rev. Walter H. Robinson, died at Warrenton, Va., July 2d. He will be remembered by many Confederate veterans as captain and ordnance officer on the staff of General Pettigrew, and was severely wounded at Gettysburg on July 1st, 1863, while acting with the Eleventh regiment of North Carolina troops. After recovering from his wounds he served with Mosby until the end of the war; then entered the ministry of the Presbyterian church.

— Asheville *Gazette*: Annie May Parish, 11 years old, was killed near Crowder's Mountain, Gaston county, Tuesday, by a falling shaft in a cotton mill there. The water wheel of the mill got out of repair Monday night and a man was put to work repairing it. After the repairs were supposed to have been perfected the water was again turned on. The belt lapped, however, and the heavy shaft was jerked down, striking the girl on the head. Her skull was crushed and she died within an hour.

— Kinston special to Raleigh *News-Observer*: A man more or less the worse for liquor got off the "shoofly" train this morning and asked to be directed to a doctor, stating that he had been shot in the leg. Dr. Hargrove dressed the wound, which proved to be a bad flesh wound in the calf of the leg, from which the man had lost a good deal of blood. The man said that he was sitting between two men on the "shoofly" when just beyond Beston they became engaged in a row, and one of the men whipped out a pistol and started to shoot the other, and that he, (the wounded man) interfered and knocked the pistol down. The pistol went off and he received the ball in his leg. The man who did the shooting jumped from the train and took to the woods.

Reduced Rates

Washington, D. C.—Grand Fountain United Order True Reformers. Tickets on sale August 30th, Sept. 1st and 2d; final limit September 10th. Fare for round trip from Wilmington, N. C., $11.55.

Los Angeles and San Francisco, Cal.—National Encampment Grand Army of the Republic. Tickets on sale July 31st to August 13th; final limit October 15th. Fare round trip from Wilmington, N. C., $64.75. Fee of 50 cents will be charged at destination for validating ticket.

Jackson Springs, N. C.—Mid-summer meeting Baptist State Convention. Tickets sold June 22d to 25th, inclusive; final limit July 2d. Fare round trip from Wilmington, N. C., $5.35. †

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Muchison Bank building on Chesnut street: Services to-day at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Subject of lesson sermon: "Truth." All are invited.

St. John's church, corner of Third and Red Cross streets, Rev. J. Carmichael, D. D., rector: Sixth Sunday after Trinity—holy communion 7:45 A. M. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock. Seats free Strangers especially invited.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Sixth and Market streets, Rev. A. G. Voigt, D. D., pastor. English services by Mr. Henry Hanson to-day at 11 A. M. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Everybody cordially invited.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran church, North Fourth street, Rev. C. W. Kegley pastor: Sunday school at 9:4 A. M. Preaching, preparatory sermon and holy communion at 11 A. M. No evening services. Every person welcome.

WINKLINGS.

— Mark—I read in the papers the other day about a couple being married on a street car. Wagg—A tie up on the line, eh!—*Baltimore American.*

— Charitable Old Lady: Poor woman! And are yon a widow? Beggar: Worse than a widow, ma'am. My husband's living and I have to support him.—*Stray Stories.*

— Teacher—Which letter is the next one to the letter "H?" Boy—Dunno, ma'am. "What have I on both sides of my nose?" "Freckles, ma'am.—*The Wasp.*

— "Running an auto must be exciting," said the friend. "It is," said the owner. "Every time you stop you wonder if the machine will start again when you are ready."—*Brooklyn Life.*

— "A genius," writes a small boy, "is born first and raised afterwards; but the world don't know he's a genius 'till somebody sprains their leg by stumbling over his grave."—*Atlanta Constitution.*

—Hogan—O'Toole lost four fingers cilebratin' the day. Dugan—Indade. Did the powther ixplode too soon? Hogan—It did not. He was seized with a dizziness whin about to take a drink, and dhropped the glass.—*Kansas City Journal.*

CATCHING AN EDITION.

A Reporter's Efforts to Get His Story on the Wire.

News of the blowing up and sinking of a steamboat on the Ohio river reached the office of a Pittsburg paper one evening some years ago. The city editor sent a young reporter out on a search for the facts. The search developed into an adventure such as any newspaper man may tumble into at any hour of the day or night. World's Work tells the story:

He hurried to the station and caught the first westward bound express. When the train had started, he learned that it did not stop within sixty miles of his destination.

A cautious hint from a Pullman porter apprised him of the presence of a division superintendent on the train, and in a few minutes he received an order from the conductor to stop the train for him.

Reaching the station late at night, he asked the telegraph operator to remain until he returned. Then he walked several miles, got his "story" and hurried back to the station, only to find that the operator had disregarded his request and closed the office.

Time was creeping into the morning hours and he had the prospect of all his work coming to naught unless he secured an operator to get the story to his newspaper office. He tramped about the dark village and found that the operator lived several miles away. Unsympathizing country folk could not be induced to rouse themselves.

Thinking hard, the young reporter walked back and forth on the platform of the station. Huddled against the station he saw the sleeping form of a tramp. He kicked the hobo and offered him $5 to make the trip for the operator.

The man got to his feet.

"Do you want an operator?"

"Yes."

"Well, I'm a bum, but I was an operator. If you can get into that station, I'll send your stuff, but I won't touch a door or a window myself."

Knowing that the newspaper would gladly pay damages, the reporter took a cudgel, broke the window and clambered in. The tramp clicked off the story, and it reached the office in time to go to press.

THE EARS.

Large ears, drooping at the top, belong to persons more animal than human.

In human beings of low or debased mental standard the ears are large and flabby. Note those of idiots, cretins, etc.

Ears in which the "hem" is flat, as if smoothed down with a flatiron, accompany a vacillating mind and cold, unromantic disposition.

When there is no lobe and the ear widens from the bottom upward, the owner is of a selfish, cunning and revengeful disposition.

Large round ears with a neat "hem" around their border, well carved, not flat, indicate a strong will and a bulldog tenacity of purpose.

When the ear is oval in form, with the lobe slightly but distinctly marked, it indicates for its owner a lofty ideality, combined with a morbidly sensitive nature.

The person who has an ear with a rounded, ovate top is almost without exception one with a placid disposition and a nature that pines to love and be loved in return.

Mice That Subsist on Scorpions.

Among the queer forms of animal life that inhabit Death valley is a mouse that has acquired such a taste for scorpions that they form its entire bill of fare. The scorpion carries its formidable armament in the end of its slender, elongated abdomen in the shape of an exceedingly venomous, hooked sting. When disturbed, it elevates this in the air and goes in search of its disturber. But it is comparatively slow in its motions, while mice are proverbial for their quickness the world over. The mouse learned many generations ago where the scorpion carries its weapon, and when he meets it he leaps at the uplifted abdomen, takes off the sting at a single bite and proceeds to make a meal of his helpless prey. It is supposed to be the only animal that relishes scorpions.

Only Half the Truth.

Wife (during the quarrel)—Yes, and people say you only married me for my money.

Husband—People are wrong, my dear. They overlook the fact that you also had considerable real estate.—Chicago News.

Ask Your Doctor

He will tell you—

That barley-malt is a half-digested food, as good as food can be.

That hops are an excellent tonic.

That the little alcohol in beer—only 3½ per cent—is an aid to digestion.

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BOOKS AND READING.

Reading is to the mind what exercise is to the body.—Addison.

A home without books is like a room without windows.—Beecher.

To read without reflecting is like eating without digesting.—Burke.

Books are the best things well used; abused, among the worst.—Emerson.

Next to acquiring good friends the best acquaintance is that of good books.—Cotton.

Some books are to be tasted, others to be swallowed and some few to be chewed and digested.—Bacon.

Half the gossip of society would perish if the books that are truly worth reading were but read.—Dawson.

What is a great love of books? It is something like a personal introduction to the great and good men of all past times.—John Bright.

The three practical rules I have to offer are: (1) Never read any book that is not a year old; (2) never read any but famed books; (3) never read any but what you like.—Emerson.

What Makes Things Grow.

According to Maurice Springer, a French writer on the subject, the energy of growth is closely related to electric energy and may be identical with it. At any rate, growth energy is closely connected with the phenomenon called osmosis—that is, molecular pressure due to differences of density in adjacent liquid masses. Such molecular pressure in the cells of the body he believes to be the phenomenon that underlies the multiplication of these cells in growth, and osmosis has been shown by experiment to be closely connected with electricity. The writer referred to believes that we shall soon be able to measure growth energy as we now do heat or electricity and perhaps control it so as to produce tall or short families or races at our pleasure.—Success.

In the Olden Days of Crinoline.

A woman tells this of the old days of "cages:"

A man—an artist and a very shy person—walked out with the woman he delighted to honor and asked her to marry him. In stepping closer to her, as the occasion seemed to demand, early in the walk he got his foot through her large and expansive hoop and was too modest to make any attempt to remove it. She was equally timid, so they took their walk, settled matters (she consenting) and came home with his foot still held in her hoop. History does not state how it was finally removed. I only know the story is true, and the pair today are old married lovers.

A Raw Oyster.

Although the actual amount of nutritive material in a raw oyster is small, it comprises all classes of food substances in a peculiarly assimilable form. Generally speaking, the raw mollusk consists of four-fifths water. The danger—a remote one—of the oyster containing living typhoid fever germs may be obviated by the use of lemon-juice. The oyster is rendered tough and indigestible by boiling.

Altogether Too Inquisitive.

Burgess—What a humbug Dolver is! When I asked him if he had read my article about "The Epochal Era," he said he had and that it was the finest thing he had seen for years, but when I came to question him I found he didn't know the first thing about the article. What do you think of that?

Yerrow—I think it should be a lesson to you to let well enough alone next time.—Boston Transcript.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.]

STAR OFFICE, July 18.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 48c per gallon.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.65 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $1.75 per barrel for hard, $3.00 for dip, $3.25 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin dull at $1.10@1.15; tar firm at $1.45; crude turpentine firm at $1.40, 2.50@3.60.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	65
Rosin	265
Tar	37
Crude turpentine	225

Receipts same day last year—13 casks spirits turpentine, 273 barrels rosin, 37 barrels tar, 129 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market nominal.

Same day last year, market firm at 8¼c for middling.

Receipts — — bales; same day last year, —.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 65c; extra prime, 70c; fancy, 75c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c. Spanish 75c.

CORN—Firm, 65@67½c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 12½c.

EGGS—Dull at 14@15c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 20@35c; springs, 15@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 13@13½c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Firm at 2@5c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 17.—Money on call was nominal; time money firm; 60 days, 4½@5 per cent.; 90 days, 5 per cent.; six months 6 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5@6 per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 486 375@486.525 for demand and at 484@484.25 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 484½@485 and 487@487½. Commercial bills 483¾@484½. Bar silver 54¼. Mexican dollars 42½. U. S. refunding 2's, reg'd, 106½; U. S. 4's, registered, 107¾; do. coupon, 108¾; U. S. 4's, new registered, 134¼; do. coupon, 135½; U. S. 4's, old, registered, 111; U. S. 4's, old coupon, 111; U. S. 5's, registered, 101¾; do. coupon, 103; Southern Railway, 5's, 112¼. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 92; Chesapeake & Ohio 34¼; Manhattan L 133; New York Central 117¾; Reading 50½; do. 1st preferred 81¾; do. 2nd preferred 68; St. Paul 141¾; do. pref'd, 173; Southern Railway 22¾; do. pref'd 86; Amalgamated Copper 47½; People's Gas 95¾; Tennessee Coal and Iron 47; U. S. Leather 8; U. S. Leather, preferred, 81½; Western Union 83¾; U. S. Steel 26⅝; do. pref'd 77; Virginia Carolina Chemical Co., 46⅝; sales — shares; do. preferred, high 113⅜, low 113, closing 113; sales 300 shares. Standard Oil 645.

NEW YORK, July 18.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 20 bid; do. preferred, 35½@35¾; do. bonds, fours, 84¾@89¾. Atlantic Coast Line, common and preferred, no sales.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 18.—Rosin quiet; Strained, common to good, $2 00@2 02½. Spirits turpentine steady at 51@51¼.

CHARLESTON, July 18.—Spirits turpentine steady at 47½c; sales — casks. Rosin steady; sales — barrels; A, B, C, $1 50; D, $1 55, E $1 60; F, $1 65; G, $1 70; H, $2 20; I, $2 55; K, $2 70; M, $2 80; N, $3 90; W G, $3 05; W W $3 30.

SAVANNAH, July 18.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 48c; receipts 827 casks; sales 114 casks; exports 916 casks. Rosin—Market firm; receipts 1,521 barrels; sales 654 barrels; exports 468 barrels: A, B, C, $1 60; D, $1 65; E, 1 65; F, $1 70, G, $1 80; H, $2 30; I, $2 75; K $2 80; M, $3 00; N, $3 10; W G, $3 20; W W, $3 40.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 18.—The cotton market opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of five points under cables better than expected and moderate covering by room shorts. The weather was generally considered favorable, however, and there was a lack of bull support, so that after an interval of steadiness during which the active options were sold up to a level net three to five points higher the market turned slightly easier under realizing, prices going back to about last night's level. There was little feature to the early trading and operations seemed to be more of an evening-up character than to represent fresh ventures on either side of the account.

NEW YORK, July 18.—Cotton quiet at 12.50c; net receipts 20 bales; gross receipts 70 bales; stock — bales.

Futures closed quiet and steady: July 12.20, August 12.00, September 10.45, October 9.68, November 9.53, December 9.52, January 9.49, February 9.47, March 9.48.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 12.50; middling gulf 12.75c; sales 70 bales.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 696 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,101 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 100 bales; stock 221,586 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 696 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,101 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 100 bales; exports to Japan — bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 7,687,511 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,777,006 bales; exports to France 777,334 bales; exports to the Continent 2,802,868 bales; exports to Japan 135,133 bales.

July 18.—Galveston, nominal at 12c, net receipts 17 bales; Norfolk, steady at 12c, net receipts — bales; Baltimore, nominal at 13c, net receipts 518 bales; Boston, quiet at 12.50c, net receipts 2 bales; Wilmington; nominal at —c, net receipts — bales; Philadelphia, steady at 12.75c, net receipts — bales; Savannah, firm at 12¾c, net receipts — bales; New Orleans, quiet at 12¾c, net receipts 159 bales; Mobile, nominal at —c, net receipts — bales; Memphis, quiet at 12 7-16c, net receipts — bales; Augusta, nominal at 13c, net receipts 8 bales; Charleston, nominal —, net receipts — bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 10.—Flour was steady; winter patents $3 90@4 30; Minnesota patents $4 40@4 70. Rye flour steady. Wheat—Spot dull; No. 2 red 84¾c. Options—The market was very dull and somewhat irregular with the general tone steady on light offerings, steadiness of corn and rains in harvesting districts. Near the close prices gave way suddenly with Western markets and left off ¼@⅜c net lower; No. 3 red July closed 83¾c; September closed 81¾c; December closed 81¾c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2, 57c. Options steady on talk of cool weather West, steady cables and covering by room shorts. Prices yielded finally to a drop in wheat, closing ¼c net lower: July closed 56¼c; September closed 56¼c; December closed 50¼. Oats—Spot quiet; No. 2, 41c. Options were barely steady under commission houses. Pork easy; family $17 50@18 00; short clear $16 00@17 75; mess $1700. Butter steady; extra creamery 20½c; State dairy 14@20c. Cheese steady; State, full cream fancy, small colored, 10c; small white 10c. Peanuts steady; fancy hand-picked 4½@4¾c; other domestic 3@4½c. Eggs — Market irregular; State and Pennsylvania firsts to extras 17@18½c. Lard dull; Western steam $8 25; refined dull; July closed at $8 25, nominal; continent $8 25; compound 7¼@7¾c. Coffee—Spot Rio was quiet; No. 7 invoice 5 3-16c; mild quiet; Cordova 7@11c. Sugar—Raw was quoted firm; fair refining 3 3-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 11-16c; molasses sugar 2 15-16c; refined was firm; confectioner's $4 85; mould A $5 25; cut loaf $5 60; crushed $5 60; powdered $5 10; granulated $5 00; cubes $5 25. Tallow dull; city ($2 per package) 4½c; country (package free) 4½@4¾c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 12; grain by steam 11¾. Rice firm; domestic, fair to extra 4¾@6½c. Cabbages quiet; Baltimore, per crate, $1 00@1 12; Long Island, per 100, $5 00@5 50. Molasses firm; open kettle, good to choice, 31@40c. Potatoes easy; Southern $1 50@2 50; Long Island $2 25@2 75. Cotton seed oil was quiet but steady: Prime crude f. o. b. mills 31c, new crop; prime summer yellow 42½c; off summer yellow 37½@38c; prime white 47@47½c; prime winter yellow 47c; prime meal $27 00@27 50, nominal.

CHICAGO, July 18.—Weakness was the rule in the grain and hog products markets to-day, each showing a loss. Wheat closed ¼c down for September, corn ⅝c lower, oats ⅛c down and provisions 7½c to 17½c lower.

CHICAGO, July 18.—Cash prices: Flour market was steady at the quotations: winter patents $3 75@3 90; straights $3 40@3 70; spring patents $4 @4 40; straights $3 60@3 90; bakers' $2 60@3 80. Wheat—No. 2 spring —No. 2 —c; No. 3 spring —c; No. 3 red 75¾@76¾c. Corn—No. 2 49½c; No. 2 yellow 50c. Oats—No. 2 35¾c; No. 2 white 41c; No. 3 white 33¾@38c. Rye—No. 2 50@53c. Mess pork, per barrel, $14 15@14 20 Lard, per 100 lbs, $7 87½@7 95. Short rib sides, loose, $8 30@8 50 Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $7 75@7 87½. Short clear sides, boxed, $8 50@8 62½ Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 30.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 July, old, 76¾, 76¾, 75¾, 76¾c; July, new 76, 76¾, 75¾, 75¾c; September, old, 77¾, 77¾, 76¾, 76¾c; September, new, 77, 77¾, 76¾, 76¾c. Corn—No. 2 July 49¾, 49¾, 48¾, 49@49½c; September 50, 50¾, 49¾, 49¾@49½c; December, 49¾, 49¾@49¾, 48¾, 49c. Oats—No. 2, July 37¾, 38, 37¼, 38c; September 33¼, 33¾, 32¾, 33¼c; December 33¼, 33¾, 33¼, 33½c. Mess pork, per bbl—July $14 15; September $14 60, 14 60, 14 37½, 14 40. Lard, per 100 lbs—July $7 87½; September $8 15, 8 20, 8 05, 8 05; October $7 80, 7 82½, 7 75, 7 75. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—July $8 50; September $8 15, 8 20, 8 05, 8 05c; October $8 10, 8 10, 8 05, 8 07½.

FOREIGN MARKET.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, July 18.—Cotton: Spot in limited demand, prices four points lower; American middling fair 6.80d; good middling 6.64d; middling 6.40d; low middling 6.14d; good ordinary 5.83d; ordinary 5.64d. The sales of the day were 5,000 bales, of which 1,500 bales were for speculation and export and included 4,800 bales American. Receipts 1,000 bales, no American.

Futures opened quiet and steady and closed quiet; American middling (g o c): July 6.18d; July and August 6.17d; August and September 6.14d; September and October 5.63d; October and November 5.28d; November and December 5.19d; December and January 5.14d; January and February 5.12@5.13d; February and March 5.11@5.12d; March and April 5.11@5.12d.

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

Stmr City of Fayetteville, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, James Madden.

Schr Chas H Valentine, 536 tons, Williams, Perth Amboy, to master.

British schooner Clarence A Schaffner, 158 tons, Chute, Bridgewater, to master.

CLEARED.

Schr Jno I Snow, Johnson, Fajardo, Porto Rico, J T Riley & Co.

Stmr City of Fayetteville, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, James Madden.

Clyde steamer Navahoe, Johnson, New York, H G Smallbones.

EXPORTS.

FOREIGN.

FAJARDO, P R—Schr Jno I Snow, 153,045 feet lumber, valued at $2,065; cargo by Kidder Lumber Co; vessel by J T Riley & Co.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—10 casks spirits turpentine, 120 barrels rosin, 26 barrels tar, 13 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—3 casks spirits turpentine, 18 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—8 casks spirits turpentine, 70 barrels rosin, 5 barrels tar, 109 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—16 casks spirits turpentine, 20 barrels rosin, 2 barrels tar.

Steamer Whitlock—9 casks spirits turpentine, 31 barrels rosin, 4 barrels tar, 8 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer City of Fayetteville—7 casks spirits turpentine, 11 barrels rosin, 14 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Sanders—13 casks spirits turpentine, 13 barrels rosin.

By Cart—18 barrels crude turpentine.

Martindale's Flat—45 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—65 casks spirits turpentine, 265 barrels rosin, 37 barrels tar, 235 barrels crude turpentine.

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SCHOONERS.

Clarence A Schaffner, (Br) 158 tons, Chute, to master.

Chas H Valentine, 536 tons, Williams, to master.

O H Brown, 950 tons, Heyers, to master.

Islesboro, 626 tons, Trimm, to master.

BRIGS.

Sullivan, 295 tons, McNeil, J T Riley & Co.

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The wonders of the needle were in ancient times in Egypt, India, Babylonia and Phœnicia mainly lavished by women on veils and hangings for temples. Connoisseurs consider the veil decorating the tomb of Mohammed at Medina, priced at 10,000,000 rupees, the most marvelous piece of embroidery ever made. Its pattern, a cunning interlacing of scrolls and arabesques, exclusively delineated with rare pearls and precious stones, produces, when exposed to the rays of the sun, a stupendous effect of coloring, soft and harmonious and equal to the bold gracefulness of the design. Linen, silks, leather and the richest stuffs were in turn beautified with the little insignificant tool, the needle.

Diaphanous Indian muslin charmingly embroidered with green beetle wings is still renowned, as well as examples of painted spangles and artificial pearls strewn amid devices wrought in gold. But where is now to be found the incomparable Decca muslin, thirty yards of which were once inclosed for a turban in an ordinary cocoanut incrusted with gems and presented by a Persian ambassador to his master, the shah. Other varieties known as invisible have also disappeared. The term originated from the fact that when dipped in water or spread out on the grass the material was lost to the eye through its extreme fineness.

The trained fingers have disappeared, and through modern competition customers are no longer willing to pay the real value of genuine hard work. This superiority of eastern craftsmen over their western fellows was recognized centuries ago, first by Portuguese, who were in the habit of sending satin to India to be embroidered by the natives after European designs, a fashion which at times renders somewhat puzzling the classification of the marvels of handiwork.

The French followed suit, since the majority of the Louis XVI. court sets, including coat, waistcoat and breeches in satin, velvet, plush or corded silk, so exquisitely adorned with delicate sprays and admirable borders wrought in satin and tambour stitches, are due to the skill and industry of the Chinese, who have reproduced the French devices with floss silk in such lovely and fast colors, which still appear in all their beauty, with a mellowness imparted by time, which further adds to their charm.—Ledger Monthly.

MEALS BY WHOLESALE.

Extensive Kitchen Arrangements of the Modern Hotel.

The kitchen arrangements of the modern hotel are on the first basement floor. There is a chef, but so far as I could see he does not cook. He is simply a captain of the seventy-five other cooks, who work in three relays of twenty-five each. There is no range, but a solid bank of broilers—immense gridirons, beneath which are the fires that never die. As for the 400 loaves of bread and 8,000 rolls required daily, the chef does not worry his mind over the patent cutters and mixers and ovens and staff of bakers needed to supply the simple item of bread or concern himself with the quality of the 1,100 pounds of butter that are each day required to go with it.

I must not forget the item of eggs. Eighteen thousand are required every twenty-four hours. Boiled eggs do not get overdone. They are boiled by clockwork. A perforated dipper containing the eggs drops down into the water. The dipper's clockwork is set to the second, and when that final second has expired the little dipper jumps up out of the water, and the eggs are ready for delivery. There are men who do nothing else but fill and watch and empty these dancing dippers, and it seemed to me great fun.

On another part of this floor is the dishwashing, where great galvanized baskets lower the pieces into various solutions of potash and clean rinsing water, all so burning hot that the dishes dry instantly without wiping. Sixty-five thousand pieces of chinaware are cleansed in a day and an almost equal quantity of silver. All told, there are 300 employees in the kitchen departments of this huge living machine.—Albert Bigelow Paine in World's Work.

SUCCESSFUL SMUGGLER.

The Schemes He Worked to Deceive the Customs Officials.

"There is money in smuggling," said the retired dealer in precious stones as he leaned back, "but it is dangerous to carry on the business, as possible suspects are carefully watched and, if necessary, traced till they are finally caught. However, I knew one man who pursued the trade of diamond smuggling for fifteen years and was able to retire to respectability. He was buyer for one of the large business houses in New York, and his business sent him to Europe two, three and sometimes four times a year. Every time he returned he had with him from $10,000 to $20,000 worth of gems which he did not declare.

"His trick was perfect simplicity combined with ingenious boldness. His hair was scanty, and at the top of his head he had a most delightful little bald spot. Customs officers as they came and went all knew him, and as they knew him he had a most pronounced wen where his other acquaintances saw a bald spot. That wen was a work of art, made of wax and gum, and it contained two or three big stones that would have been a find for the men on the pier.

"The good cigar that he had just lit and allowed to go out held a few more, and sewed in the handle of the grip that he carelessly turned over to the inspection of the officers were the rest of them. He never varied the trick, and he never lost. Each trip was worth a couple of hundred dollars to him and a great many hundred more to those who employed him. Now, that man considered himself strictly honest. He would not steal a cent from an individual, yet he schemed and plotted to rob the government."—New York Press.

HOW A COLT GROWS.

From Ungainliness He Develops Grace and Beauty.

The development of a spindly legged colt into a full grown horse is an interesting process to watch. In "Horses Nine" the author describes an instance in this way:

And an unhandsome colt he was. His broomstick legs seemed twice the proper length, and so thin you would hardly have believed they could ever carry him. His head, which somehow suggested the lines of a bootjack, was set awkwardly on a ewed neck.

In time the slender legs thickened, the chest deepened, the barrel filled out, the head became less ungainly. As if to make up for these improvements, the colt's markings began to set. They took the shapes of a saddle stripe, three white stockings and an irregular white blaze covering one side of his face and patching an eye. On chest and belly the mother sorrel came out rather sharply, but on the rest of him was that peculiar blending which gives the blue roan shade, a color unpleasing to the critical eye and one that lowers the market value.

Remarkable Luck.

In Gold Hill, Nev., in 1877, one of the mining bosses—Tole by name—had trouble with some of the laborers in his mine. One night three of them attacked him in a barroom. Two of them pinned him down, while a third stood over him with a revolver. The muzzle almost touched his stomach. Once, twice, thrice, a fourth and a fifth time the weapon snapped. Tole closed his eyes. Each moment he expected to be his last. The disgusted ruffian threw his disappointing weapon on the floor, with an oath, and, joined by his aids, left the place. Tole wiped the cold sweat from his brow, mechanically picked up the discarded weapon, went to the door and fired off every charge, remarking that it was just his luck.

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The oysters of America and Europe differ greatly. European oysters are smaller and have a coppery taste. Our southern oysters are larger than the northern. They are dredged along the coast and transferred to oyster beds in creeks close to shore, where they fatten. In London oyster salesmen sometimes keep oysters for a few days in water to which oatmeal has been added, for the purpose of rendering them more delicate and of better flavor. When out of season—during spawning time—the oyster is soft and milky and not fit to be eaten.

Night Was Her Terror.

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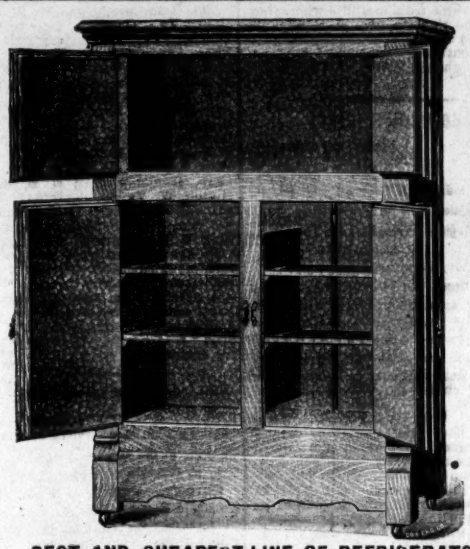

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TRAIN 15 Leaves Wilmington 9:00 p m, arrives Lumberton 2:15 a m, Pembroke 2:55 a m, Maxton 4:05 a m, Hamlet 6:00 a m.

TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 5:01 a m, Hamlet 8:40 a m, arrives Maxton 9:52 a m, Pembroke 10:32 a m, Lumberton 10:37 a m, Wilmington 12:45 p m.

TRAIN 14 Leaves Hamlet 10:45 p m, arrives Maxton 12:35 a m, Pembroke 1:30 a m, Lumberton 2:15 a m, Wilmington 7:00 a m.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	7 20 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Monroe	8 55 a m	12 15 a m
Ar Charlotte	10 05 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Chester	10 35 a m	1 35 a m
Ar Greenwood	12 23 p m	3 43 a m
Ar Athens	2 50 p m	6 05 a m
Ar Atlanta	3 50 p m	7 50 a m

SOUTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	7 30 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Columbia	10 55 a m	1 50 a m
Ar Savannah	2 20 p m	5 05 a m
Ar Jacksonville	6 50 p m	9 15 a m
Ar Tampa	6 45 a m	6 00 p m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	8 55 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 25 a m	11 50 a m
Ar Norlina	3 50 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Portsmouth		
Ar Norfolk	8 00 a m	5 35 p m
Lv Hamlet	10 30 a m	7 50 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 25 a m	11 15 a m
Ar Norlina	3 50 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Richmond	6 35 a m	4 55 p m
Ar Washington	10 10 a m	8 30 p m
Ar Baltimore	11 25 p m	11 25 p m
Ar New York	4 15 p m	6 13 p m

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Schedule In Effect May 24, 1903.

NORTHBOUND.

	No 48	No 42
Lv Wilmington	9 30 a m	7 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12 21 p m	9 38 p m
Ar Wilson	1 18 p m	10 35 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 23 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	
Ar Weldon	4 58 p m	1 35 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 53 p m	3 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	3 43 a m
Ar Washington	11 40 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 28 a m	9 13 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 05 a m	11 22 a m
Ar New York	7 15 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	9 35 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 12 p m	2 37 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk		9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 30 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Weldon	9 43 p m	11 46 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 37 p m	1 00 p m
Ar Wilson	11 18 p m	1 59 p m
Ar Goldsboro	7 16 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND

	Daily Ex. Sunday.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	3 45 p m	7 00 p m
Ar Florence	9 25 a m	7 30 p m	9 25 p m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 15 p m	6 15 p m
Ar Savannah	6 30 p m	3 00 a m	8 30 a m
Ar Jackson ville		9 00 a m	1 15 p m
Ar Tampa		10 35 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily Ex. Sunday.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 05 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Jacksonville	7 30 a m	5 30 p m
Ar Savannah	12 40 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston	4 50 p m	6 25 a m
Ar Florence	7 35 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 20 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD

	West Bound Daily		East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	9 10 a m	Ar	8 05 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 20 p m	Ar	5 00 p m
Ar Sanford	1 53 p m	Lv	3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN

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Lv Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar	12 15 p m
Ar Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv	9 00 a m

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Time Table No. 16

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. 3 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 06	.....
.....	4 32	Kinston	10 13	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 37	2 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 08	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.25 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at New bern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 5.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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SUNDAY MORNING, JULY 19.

SEVERE STORM VISITED CITY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Considerable Damage Resulted—Panic on an Excursion Steamer--Heavy Rainfall in the Coal Regions.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

PHILADELPHIA, July 18.—A storm of unusual severity visited this section to-night and considerable damage resulted, especially in the suburbs of the city and in the farming districts. The wind attained a velocity of 44 miles an hour. Only one fatality has been reported thus far, Edward Bricker, a six-year old boy of Huntingdon, Pa., was drowned in the swollen waters of a small rivulet which flows through the town.

Navigation on the Delaware river below this city was difficult and dangerous, and a panic occurred on the excursion steamer Thomas Clyde. The boat, which carried nearly one thousand people, attempted to effect a landing at Woodland Beach, but was prevented by the high wind and rough water. One of the sidewheels caught up a floating log. The noise of the log revolving around the paddle-box frightened the excursionists. They rushed to one side and the steamer listed so badly that her main deck was awash. Scores of women fainted and great excitement prevailed. Boats were lowered by the crew and they were quickly filled with the panic-stricken excursionists. Relieved of its burden the boat righted itself. The passengers were prevailed upon to return to the boat and they were brought safely back to their home towns. The steamer was sent to Camden for repairs.

The storm was particularly heavy in the coal regions. All of the small streams in the Schuylkill valley are greatly swollen and at Pottsville rain has fallen continuously for twenty-four hours. At Mahanoy City the St. Nicholas and Maple Hill collieries were rendered idle by the high water. The tracks of the Schuylkill Traction Company at Gilberton are washed out. At Reading, nearly 2½ inches of rain fell. The water was nearly knee-deep in some of the streets.

MANCHURIAN QUESTION.

Russia Has Not Yet Selected the Ports to be Opened to Other Powers.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 18.—The foreign office states that the Manchurian question has not yet reached a stage justifying a formal statement at this time. It points out that the pour parlers are continuing, and that the ports to be opened have not been selected nor the details arranged.

Nothing has yet appeared in any Russian paper on either of these questions.

At the first glance the above appears to contradict the official announcement made in Washington Thursday of the receipt of China's "promise to ....several ports in Manchuria to the world's trade and Russia's formal assurance" of her assent. This, however, is not the case. The Washington dispatch did not say that the negotiations had been concluded or that the ports had been specified.

It is gathered, said the dispatch, "from the communications received (at Washington) that they (the ports to be opened) are Moukden and Ta-Tung-Kao."

AT MONTEVIDBO, MINN.

Young Woman Assaulted and Brutally Treated by a Negro.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MOOTEVIDEO, MINN., July 18.—Helen Olsen, aged 25, a pretty daughter of Tom Olsen, was assaulted early this morning by a man supposed to be a negro, and although alive at noon she will die.

Early to-day Miss Olsen and a girl friend staying with her were awakened by a man who demanded their valuables. He then dragged Miss Olsen down stairs, where he struck her on the forehead with an axe or hatchet. Her girl friend had been ordered to remain in bed and not move, but on hearing a noise down stairs she stepped out of a window to the roof. The intruder fired a shot at her as he fled. Her screams aroused the neighbors and a search was at once begun for the murderer. There is great excitement and fears are expressed that the man will be lynched.

LYNCHED BY NEGROES.

Negro Man Who Assaulted a Negro Woman Near Lake Butler, Fla.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

LAKE BUTLER, FLA., July 18.—A negro tramp named Adams, who assaulted a negro woman near this place a day or so ago, was captured last night by a mob of negroes and lynched in Santa Fe swamp. His body was cut into shreds by the mob and severely disfigured. The lynching was carried out by negroes entirely.

BASEBALL.

Record of Games Played Yesterday by the League Teams.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington, 3; Chicago, 2. Second game—Washington, 3; Chicago, 1.
Philadelphia-St. Louis—rain.
New York-Cleveland—rain.
Boston, 5; Detroit, 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago, 3; Boston, 2.
Cincinnati, 4; Philadelphia, 5.
Pittsburg, 3; New York, 2.
St. Louis, 4; Brooklyn, 3.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Atlanta, 11; New Orleans, 7.
Birmingham, 2; Shreveport, 1.
Montgomery, 9; Little Rock, 8.

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POPE SUFFERING WITH DEPRESSION.

Doctors' Report Indicates the Wearing Out of the Pontiff's Vital Forces.

SPENT A SLEEPLESS NIGHT.

Painful Struggles for Breath—Isolated from All Save Doctors and Attendants—Dropped Off Into Sleep Early This Morning.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ROME, July 18.—Deprived of rest the Pope spent the day which has just ended with a serious depression. The doctors reported a feeble but rapid pulse, which was generally taken to indicate the wearing out of the patient's forces The favorable symptoms recorded in the morning of the lowering of the pleureotic liquid was sufficiently maintained to relieve the Bontiff of his painful struggles for breath, which lately has been so frequent. The doctors fear that the gradual sinking is due to general conditions rather that to the necessity for another operation which seemed so imminent on Thursday. The sleepless night was succeeded by a day during which the Pope seemed to lack any desire to vary the medical routine by receiving visits from cardinals or others. Both morning and afternoon he remained isolated from all save the doctors and attendants. The nourishment which the Pontiff took at first somewhat encouraged his entourage, but the condition of the patient this evening pointed to the fact that it had not had any beneficial effect. What is now most hoped for is that the Pope may be enabled to secure much needed rest.

Evidences of Sympathy.

Among the many evidences of continued sympathy with the Pontiff in his illness, showing that his fight for life is watched by the highest and lowest, was the arrival at the Vatican today of a case of mineral waters sent by Emperor Francis Joseph, of Austria, to the Pope. Their peculiar medicinal properties, it is asserted, may relieve the secretionary disorders of the Pontiff, which the doctors but recently have announced.

During the morning the Pontiff remained comparatively quiet, getting some sleep and seeing no one except the doctors and his immediate attendants. An Italian proverb says: "When the patient does not get worse he improves very much," but with the Pope, after the two last weeks' experience, everybody has renounced making any predictions.

The heat is beginning to increase. The shutters of the Pope's bed room window are almost closed, the window is open and the curtains are drawn back. It is reported that steps will be taken to install an electric fan in the room.

The Next Conclave.

A number of cardinals, and esp cially their friends, utilized the prolonged illness of the Pope to test the feeling which will prevail at the next conclave. The task is a difficult one, as it is claimed that the cardinals never had a chance to show their mettle under Pope Leo, important questions being deputed to commissions composed of a few cardinals, after having practically been settled by the papal secretary of state. The Philippine affairs which were inquired into by only five cardinals, are frequently quoted as an instance of the foregoing complaint. Much diversity of opinion and much uncertainty regarding the candidates still exists. However, the most probable candidates remain more or less those whose names have been mentioned since the Pope first became ill. To Cardinal Gotti, prefect of propaganda, the objection is made that as he belongs to a religious order his election might, in view of recent events, be considered a challenge to France.

Against the chances of Cardinal Rampolla, the papal secretary of state, it is urged that Austria will try to exercise her right of veto, as France would in the case of Cardinal Serafino Vannutelli, who is considered to be the candidate of the Triple Alliance. Cardinal Svamps, archbishop of Bologna, has been dropped, because since his last stroke of paralysis he speaks with some difficulty. Cardinal Ferrari, archbishop of Milan, is not favored for the apparently trivial reason that he has a motor car, which is not considered dignified in the prince of the church. Cardinal Agliardi, bishop of Albano, is regarded as too democratic. Therefore, unless Cardinal Gotti, who has always been the most favored candidate, succeeds in overcoming the objection to him, it is likely that some one now unmentioned will be elected to succeed Pope Leo. The cardinals themselves, naturally, maintain the greatest reserve, though they all more or less repeat as though in the nature of a password that the next Pope must be one combining the piety of Pius with the intelligence of Leo XIII.

PARIS, July 18.—The Paris edition of the *Herald* publishes a dispatch from Rome saying that members of the papal court intend to have his Holiness informed of the presence in Europe of Cardinal Gibbons, when Pope Leo will surely summon the cardinal to Rome in order to have a last conversation with him concerning Catholicism in the United States.

ALMOST LYNCHED NEAR TROY.

But Officers Managed to Keep the Negro from the New York Mob.

[Special to Baltimore Sun.]

TROY, N. Y., July 17.—The town of Whitehall, Washington county, is in a ferment over an assault committed by a negro on a 16-year-old white girl. Only the removal of the prisoner to the county jail at Salem to-day prevented a lynching.

Peter Gillett, aged 28 years, who resides in Keesville, attacked Ethel Chapman, of Whitehall, who was picking berries near that town, it is charged, assaulted her and escaped to the woods. He was speedily captured, however, and brought before Police Justice Davis.

A mob gathered and was preparing to lynch the man, when the officers smuggled Gillet to Salem.

FIRE AT DANVILLE

Tobacco Warehouse and Prizery Burned. Total Loss About $75,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

DANVILLE, VA., July 18.—The Star warehouse on Spring street, operated by C. D. Noell & Company, and the large four-story prizery owned by John B. Anderson & Company, were entirely consumed by fire to-night. From the warehouse the prizery caught and between $15,000 and $20,000 worth of tobacco was entirely destroyed and the building practically burned to the ground. The total loss will amount to about $75,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

RUSSIA AND THE KISHINEFF PETITION.

Government Willing to Regard the Incident as Closed--Continues to Cherish American Friendship.

By Cable to the Morning Star

ST. PETERSBURG, July 18.—The foreign office authorizes the Associated Press correspondent to say that the reason for its refusal to accept the Kishineff petition was the unalterable objection of the Russian government to outside interference in the internal affairs of the empire, and that, even had the petition been acceptable as a diplomatic document, Russia would have regarded the publication of the text before the transmission, as usual. The foreign office says it is willing to regard the incident as closed and adds that Russia continues to cherish American friendship.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 18.—The police commissioner of the Kishineff district has transmitted to the police commissaries in his jurisdiction the following circular:

"As a result of the disturbances at Kishineff, April 19th and 20th, and in consequence, also, of the alarming reports in circulation and the possibility of fresh disorders, many Jewish families left Kishineff and settled in villages of the district contrary to the law of May, 1882. Consequently, with a view to avoiding the very disagreeable results to which this might lead, I herewith instruct commissaries to take vigorous measures for the expulsion of such Jews from localities where they have no right to live. I think it my duty to add that if commissaries fail to carry out these instructions I will deem myself obliged to inform the governor thereof."

KING EDWARD'S VISIT TO IRISH TOWNS.

Every Indication That an Enthusiastic Reception Will be Accorded to His Majesty Throughout His Tour.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, July 18.—The preparations for the approaching visit of King Edward to Ireland are completed and there is every indication that an enthusiastic reception will be accorded his Majesty throughout his tour. In official circles the hope is entertained that good political and social results will follow the royal visit. The Irish cities generally have agreed to present addresses of welcome to the King. The conservative press of the United Kingdom declares that the action of the Dublin corporation in refusing to present his Majesty with an address in no wise represents the general sentiments of the city, while "Rebel Cork" has not only agreed upon an address, but like many of the cities included in the itinerary is preparing for a welcome to the sovereign on a generous scale.

The King and Queen will leave Buckingham Palace Monday afternoon.

The royal yacht Victoria and Albert arrived at Holy Head to-night. She will take the royal party to Kingstown, whence they will proceed to Balls Bridge, outside of Dublin. Thence the state entry into the city will be made.

The Victoria and Albert, according to the present arrangement will proceed to the west coast of Ireland, and the King and his party will re-embark at Berehaven and sail for Queenstown.

The most extraordinary precautions have been taken to safeguard King Edward throughout his visit, in view of the attitude of the factions opposing the recognition of the King as the ruler of Ireland, the national leaders having since the royal visit was first proposed, stating that the Irish people would not be content to welcome his Majesty to Ireland as King until home rule should have been granted.

SPANISH CABINET CRISIS.

Result of Differences Regarding Reconstruction of the Spanish Navy.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

MADRID, July 18.—After a long discussion on the navy vote in the council this afternoon, all the members of the cabinet tendered their resignations to Premier Silva, who laid them before the King. His Majesty thereupon requested Senor Silva to form a new cabinet, but the premier declined and the Marquis Villaverde, formerly minister of finance, was summoned to the palace.

LONDON, July 18.—A Central News dispatch from Madrid says the ministerial crisis is the result of differences of opinion regarding the reconstruction of the Spanish navy, raising its strength to approximately what it was prior to the war with the United States.

WARM WIRELETS

Justice Samuel Lumpkin, of the Supreme Court of Georgia, died in Washington, Ga., Friday night.

A son was born to ex-President and Mrs. Grover Cleveland yesterday at their Summer home at Buzzard's Bay The attendants say that all conditions affecting both mother and child are satisfactory.

The committee from the New York employers and the employes of the building trades organizations, forming an arbitration board, decided that the plasterers' laborers shall go back to work at $3.25 per day, and about 2,000 plasterers' helpers will go back to work Monday at that rate.

In a strong blow yesterday forenoon the four-masted schooner Mary A. Randall, Capt. Gaul, coal-laden, from Baltimore to New England, ran ashore between Cape Henry and Cape Charles. The tug Sea King left Norfolk to try to pull the schooner off. She is not damaged.

Tom Sharkey, the famous Irish heavy weight, and Tom Jenkins, of Cleveland, the present champion heavy weight, signed for a wrestling match for the championship of the world, to take place at the Carnival Stadium in Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 7. The match to be to a finish, best two falls of three catch as catch can.

Excursion from Warsaw to Washington City or Baltimore Tuesday, July 28th, 1903. Train will start from Warsaw Tuesday morning, July 28th, 1903, on arrival of train from Wilmington 11:30 A. M., and take on passengers at all stations from Warsaw to Wilson, inclusive. Fare for the round trip: From Warsaw to Norfolk and return, $3; from Warsaw to Washington and return, $6.50; from Warsaw to Baltimore and return, $6.50; children from 6 to 12 years old to Washington or Baltimore and return, $3.25; children from 6 to 12 years old to Norfolk and return, $1.50. Baggage and refreshment car attached to train. Those desiring to secure state rooms in advance will please write me stating whether they wish to go to Washington or Baltimore.

R. E. PIPKIN, Manager.

Goldsboro, N. C., July 9, 1903. †

MANY PERSONS BADLY INJURED.

Explosion of a Large Quantity of Dynamite and Blasting Powder in a Magazine.

TWO MEN KILLED OUTRIGHT.

Norfolk & Western Train Was Passing When the Explosion Occurred—Sixteen Persons Were Wounded and Many Shocked.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ROANOKE, VA., July 18.—By the explosion of a large quantity of dynamite and blasting powder, stored in a magazine near Pearisburg, Giles county, this afternoon, two men were killed outright, sixteen were more or less injured and about one hundred others severely shocked. West bound passenger train No. 1, on the main line of the Norfolk and Western, was going at full speed past the magazine which was located two hundred yards from the track when the explosion occurred. All the windows of the train were broken and the coaches in other ways damaged, and not a single person on the train escaped injury or shock.

The dead are: James Phillips, Blair, Va.; George Noel, colored, Elliston, Va. The injured: R. H. Roup, Christiansburg, Va.; Ira Wilson, Radford, Va.; J. W. Grover, Bluefield, W. Va.; S. H. Gregor, Tazewell, Va.; O. C. Jenkins, general manager Bluefield Coal and Coke Co., Bluefield, W. Va.; J. C. Jones, Radford, Va.; F. M. McCalsey, Roanoke, Sherman Hunt, Shellsvill, Va.; George Witt, Keystone, W. Va.; W. G. Calhoun, Belspring, Va.; E. S. Baird, Hinton, W. Va.; F. E. Dupuy, Hinton, W. Va.; Burnett Reid, Bluefield, W. Va.; Griff F. Cranes, Radford, Va.; W. L. Blackwell, Saltville, Va.

Philips and Noel were laborers and their mangled bodied were found near the wrecked magazine.

A special train with surgeons on board conveyed the wounded to Bluefield where they were placed in a hospital. It is not known what caused the explosion.

EPWORTH LEAGUERS.

Short Open Air Song Services—Addresses at the Night Meetings.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

DETROIT, MICH., July 18.—Ten thousand Epworth Leaguers gathered on the Campus Martius, in front of the City Hall, this afternoon, in the short open air song service that was the feature of the sixth international convention of the league and one of the most unique episodes in the history of the league's conventions. The service was short, merely the singing of the old "Coronation" hymn and "America," led by two cornetists. Between songs they gave three cheers for the United States, for King Edward and for the League. To-night's three meetings in Tent Ontario, Auditorium Epworth and the Detroit Opera House were devoted to addresses on "The Church and Civic Righteousness," "The Church and the Industrial Masses," and "The Church and the Liquor Problem."

LANGLEY'S AIR SHIP.

Temporary Interruption of Plans Caused by a Gale on the Potomac.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WIDEWATER, VA., July 18.—Beaten for hours by a strong southeast gale, Professor Langley's house boat, containing his air-ship, slipped her moorings this morning and travelled two miles up the Potomac. Watchers on the Virginia shore expected to see her driven up the mouth of Chappawamic creek, just below Quantico, but an anchorage was found in shoal water before the gale had abated. The vessel dragged with her one of the two buoys between which she was first anchored. She remained in her new position through the morning, but it is believed that Professor Langley will have her towed back. He is said to have been on board during the drifting. A temporary interruption of the plans was the chief damage.

NEW YORK BANKS.

Statement of Clearing House Averages for the Past Week.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, July 19.—The statement of averages of the clearing house banks of this city for the week shows:

Loans $907,015,500, decrease $2,513,500; deposits $895,208,100, increase $3,084,800; circulation $43,908,900, decrease $1,300; legal tenders $76,217,100, increase $1,845,900; specie $160,868,400, increase $4,190,300; reserve $237,080,500, increase $6,036,200; reserve required $223,802,025, increase $766,200; surplus $13,278,475, increase $5,270,000; ex-U. S. deposits $22,595,675, increase $5,268,575.

KANSAS' WHEAT CROP

So Large That Railroads Haven't Enough Cars to Move It.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

TOPEKA, KAS., July 18.—On the eve of marketing the great wheat crop of Kansas, a serious car famine exists. Cyrus Anderson, secretary of the board of railway commissioners, said to day that the wheat crop is so large it will require all available freight cars to haul the first installment of it to market. He says the railroads do not own enough cars to handle the crop.

FALL RIVER MILLS.

Work of Curtailing Production Will be More Extensive Next Month.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

FALL RIVER, MASS., July 18.—A number of the Fall River mills will be closed next week, but the number of idle spindles will not be as great as during the past six days. This week about seven thousand operatives have been out of work, but next week not over five thousand will be thrown out. Next month a more extensive curtailment is expected.

Fire in the Merrimack print works at Lowell, Mass., last night, did damage estimated at $300,000. It was located chiefly in the power plant and an adjacent storehouse.

— A fine tabby cat wandered in at the police station before day yesterday morning and has been officially adopted as the mascot of the department.

ISLANDS IN DISPUTE.

Secretary Hay Says Great Britain Has No Shadow of Claim Upon Them.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

WASHINGTON, July 18.—No communication has yet reached the State Department from the British government about seven islands off the coast of Borneo, now in the possession of the United States, which some members of the House of Commons seem to think belong to Great Britain.

The State Department is prepared to give a prompt and conclusive answer when Lord Lansdown's inquiry reaches here. Before leaving Washington yesterday, Secretary Hay looked personally into the matter and satisfied himself that the British government had not the shadow of a claim on the islands in question. It is explained that the island's have strategical importance and for this reason the United States under no circumstances would part with them.

NEGROES DRIVEN OUT.

Stringing Wires for a Long Distance Telephone Line in Madison County, N. C.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

ASHEVILLE, N. C., July 18.—Fifty negroes in the employ of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company, engaged in building the long distance line through the Boggett section of Madison county, west of this place, werere driven out of that section yesterday by the mountaineers. A delegation of heavily armed citizens visited the camp of the negroes and commanded that they leave the country. The negroes did not wait a second command, but began a retreat down the mountain at once, when a volley of fifty or more shots were fired to impress the unwritten law of the mountaineers.

Matrimonial Mill.

Justice Bornemann performed in rapid succession two marriage ceremonies in his office in the old Court House building yesterday. Both couples were colored. Peter Williams was sent his way rejoicing at 3 o'clock with Louisa Hall as his "blushing" bride, and at 3:15 James Green, 55 years of age, who admitted having extended his courtship over a period of ten years, led to the hymeneal altar Lucy Robbins, many years the groom's junior.

Death of Miss Williams.

Miss Carrie Williams, a most estimable woman, after a lingering illness with consumption, entered into rest at 6:30 o'clock yesterday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. Geo. A. Warren, Second near Queen street. Funeral services over the remains will be conducted at 5 o'clock this morning by the Rev. Richard W. Hogue, of St. James parish, and the remains will be taken up the river for interment.

Wilmington Alligator.

Norfolk *Landmark*: "The happy alligator family in Lafayette Park, received into its exclusive society yesterday a tar heel 'gator which was born near Wilmington, N. C. The donation was made to the Zoo by Captain E. L. Hart, a conductor of the Atlantic Coast Line. The saurian is about three years old, and is considered a well developed and well behaved alligator. He was well received by the Zoo alligators, and was assigned a corner in the alligator pond, in which he may sun himself as much as he pleases."

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ NOTICES For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found, Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 30 cents. Terms positively cash in advance.

Wanted, at once, a druggist. State age and experience. Address R. L. Fantress, 611 North Fourth St., Wilmington, N. C. jy 19 1t

Lost—From steamer "Wilmington" on noon trip from Southport Saturday, dress suit case. Finder will please return to Star office. jy 19 1t

Help Wanted Male—Circulars and sample distributers wanted everywhere. No canvassing. Good pay. Cooperative Advertising Company, N. Y. jy 19 1t*

Buy wheat and corn "now." $100.00 invested in grain or stocks by our "modern method plan" should result in large profits within 30 days. Write for particulars and send for our free booklet, "Modern Methods for Safe Investments." Flower & Co, Bankers and Brokers, Traders' Building, opposite Board of Trade, Chicago. jy 19 1t*

Baseball Monday at Hilton Park between Athletic and 1st Ward from Acorn Branch. Game called at 4 o'clock sharp. jy 19 1t.*

For Rent. Large furnished room. Hot and cold bath, 218 South Second street. jy 19 1t

Man and wife want board in private family for forty-five dollars per month, by October 1st. Will furnish own room. References exchanged. STAR, this office. jy 19 1t*

To Rent, for ensuing year, part of dwelling, on improved street, desirable locality. Possession given after 1st of August. Address "O," care this office. jy 19 2t*

Sunday Afternoon—Free Concert at Casino, Wrightsville Beach—4 to 6 P. M. jy 18 3t

There will be a series of games played at Hilton Diamond Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, July 21, 22 and 23 between the original Atlanta Deppens and the Black Stockings Baseball Club. Games called at 4 o'clock. jy 17 6t*

Wm. J. Pogue & Son, Wholesale Produce and Commission, Southport, N. C. The Wilmington Grocery Co., No. 15 South Front St., sole agents for Wilmington. jy 17 DAWlt

Six Room Cottage on "Summer Rest," Wrightsville, N. C., for rent. Store No. 108 North Water street for rent. "Wright Cottages" at Wrightsville, N. C., for rent, from August 1st. Three (3) Cottages on Wrightsville Beach for sale. Dick & Reilly, Real Estate and Insurance Agents, No. 110 Princess street. jy 17 1t

Miss Bessie Gore will open a dancing class at Wrightsville Beach in ball-room of Seashore Hotel, Monday morning, July 20th, 10 o'clock. Apply Bell 'Phone 516. jy 16 4t

Dr. J. D. Webster, dentist, is now located at 305 South Front street, Wilmington, N. C., his old stand opposite steam laundry. Better prepared to do dental work and cheaper than ever. Sets of teeth, upper or under, from $5.00 up. Gold filling from $1.00 up; all other fillings 50 cents. Crowns from $3.00 up; bridge teeth $5.00. Extracting with the new system without pain, 25 cents, for 30 days. jy 15 1m.

Cashier Wanted—Lady Cashier, must have some knowledge of book-keeping. Address in own hand writing "Cashier," care Star. jy 15 1t.

Found—At 110 Princess street, the best boarding place, transient or permanent, close to cars for the Beach. Mrs. A. M. Gilbert. je 16 1m

Notice—There will be an annual meeting of the stockholders of the Eastern Carolina Piscatorial Association held at the office of the undersigned, Wilmington, N. C., Tuesday, August 4th, at 11 o'clock A. M. Geo. H. Howell, Secretary. jy 7 25t

Sewing Machines, Typewriters, Organs repaired, cleaned and revarnished; Upholstering done also. Address J. B. Farrar, No. 9 South Eighth street. je 30 1t

Old newspapers, suitable for wrapping paper, for sale at reduced prices, in quantities. Apply at the office of THE MORNING STAR. je 21 tf

Just received, car of fine Georgia Melons, which will be on sale Monday morning at foot of Dock street. A. S. Winstead. je 21 tf

Brown Leghorn Eggs, from high bred stock, for sale at 50 cents per dozen. R. A. Montgomery, Eighth and Princess streets. ap 2 tf

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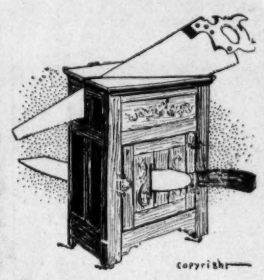

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jy 19 tf

TO EMPLOYERS.

The new military regulations require each company to carry into encampment 75 per cent. of its roll. Failure to carry this percentage is visited by the disbanding of delinquent companies. Up to this hour I have not succeeded in getting the requisite number of members to entitle the Light Infantry to enter encampment. Are the business men of Wilmington prepared to see the only Wilmington company in the city disbanded? The company would be absent only six days, and I make this public appeal with entire confidence that employers will, for the common welfare, contribute six days' leave of absence of employes who are members of the company.

A. P. ADRIAN,

Captain Wilmington Light Infantry.

jy 19 1t

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je 26 8w fr su we THE DIRECTRESS.

Office of the Custodian, United states Post Office and Court House, Wilmington, North Carolina, July 14th, 1903, sealed proposals will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M., on the 23rd day of July, 1903, and then opened, for repairs, painting, etc., at the above named building. Copies of the specification may be had at this office. M. C. Darby, Custodian.

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